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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant:	Scott Milton Fry	
Serial No.:	10/644,378	
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For:	APPARATUS, SYSTEM, AND METHOD FOR DEVELOPING FAILURE PREDICTION SOFTWARE	
Examiner:	Peter D. Coughlan	

**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

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Dear Examiner:

In response to the Office Action mailed on October 14, 2008 and the Advisory Action mailed December 22, 2008, Applicants respectfully request the reconsideration of the present application in view of the following and remarks.

**Listing of the Claims** begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 5 of this paper.